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For: CHEMOSENSITIZING AGENTS AGAINST CHLOROQUINE RESISTANT

PLASMODIUM FALCIPARUM AND METHODS OF MAKING AND USING THEREOF

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 29 October 2001, requesting an election of claims in the above-referenced patent application, Applicants hereby elect to prosecute the claims of Group III (Claims 1-31), without traverse.

This election is made without prejudice to or disclaimer of the other claims or inventions disclosed. Applicants reserve the right to file one or more divisional applications to the nonelected groups. Accordingly, reconsideration and withdrawal of the Restriction Requirement, and consideration and allowance of all pending claims, are respectfully requested.

It is not believed that extensions of time are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in accompanying documents. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 06-1358.

Respectfully submitted,

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